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Dear Ed,

Relet 6: of the five days I was in NYW I ate lunch twice, each time a working lunch. Tursday, Jerry and I didn't eat until about 8:30 p.m. But I've put your officenumber in my address book and hope there is another time soon and that we can. I sure enjoyed the last one.

I take it Jerry has updated you on the Times/Loenard/Kaplan. I think my letter with the background on Kaplan may have shaken Leonard, who does not seem to be a bad guy. He may be one of the victims.

Bad as that job was, a decent correction may offset it.

John Barkham and Elmer Gertz have written similarly, and I've taken after both, the correspondence making them look even worse. Remains to be seen if there will be abything as a result. Doubt it. If you know who syndicates Barkham, I'd like to be sure they get the exchange. I have been sending copies to the Assistant Managing Editor of the NY Post.

Bushed and busy. Thanks,